



General Assembly

Substitute Bill No. 18

January Session, 2003

**AN ACT REQUIRING HEALTH INSURANCE COVERAGE FOR
OVARIAN CANCER SCREENING.**

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

1 Section 1. (NEW) (*Effective October 1, 2003*) Each individual health
2 insurance policy providing coverage of the type specified in
3 subdivisions (1), (2), (4), (11) and (12) of section 38a-469 of the general
4 statutes delivered, issued for delivery, amended, renewed or
5 continued in this state on or after October 1, 2003, shall provide
6 coverage for ovarian cancer screening tests ordered by a licensed
7 physician, provided such tests are consistent with the
8 recommendations established by the American Cancer Society.

9 Sec. 2. (NEW) (*Effective October 1, 2003*) Each group health insurance
10 policy providing coverage of the type specified in subdivisions (1), (2),
11 (4), (11) and (12) of section 38a-469 of the general statutes delivered,
12 issued for delivery, amended, renewed or continued in this state on or
13 after October 1, 2003, shall provide coverage for ovarian cancer
14 screening tests ordered by a licensed physician, provided such tests are
15 consistent with the recommendations established by the American
16 Cancer Society.

This act shall take effect as follows:	
Section 1	<i>October 1, 2003</i>
Sec. 2	<i>October 1, 2003</i>

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